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IN RE APPLICATION OF:

Yuko Ohgishi

ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. 09792909-5827

SERIAL NO.:

10/806,588

GROUP ART UNIT: 2891

FILED:

March 23, 2004

EXAMINER: Bradley Smith

FOR:

"METHOD OF PRODUCING SEMICONDCUTOR DEVICE AND SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE"

#### RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

SIR:

✓ Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

No additional claim fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

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any m	Application amended to contain any multiple dependent claims not previously paid for.				()\$140.00 ()\$280.00 ONE TIME	
		TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT				

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<sup>\*\*</sup> If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 20 write "20" in this space.

	Applicant petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend this time for response to the Office Action dated _
	for _ month(s) so that the period for response is extended to The Commissioner is authorized to charge the fee of \$ for
	the extension to applicants' attorneys' American Express account. PTO Form 2038 is attached for that purpose.
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The Commissioner is authorized and requested to charge the amount of \$\_ to cover the additional claim fee to American Express Account No. 378571697401002. PTO Form 2038 is attached for that purpose.

☐ A check for \$\_\_\_\_ accompanying attached Terminal Disclaimer under 37 C.F.R. §1.321.

A check for \$ \_\_ for Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. 1.312(b) is attached.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the extension fee and any additional fees which may be required, or to credit any overpayment to account No. 19-3140. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

When phoning re this application, please call 312/876-8000 - Ext. 12578.

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I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on <u>December 14, 2005</u>.

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# IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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**INVENTION:** 

"METHOD OF PRODUCING SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND

SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE"

### RESPONSE TO ELECTION/RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT"

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

SIR:

This amendment is being filed in response to the Office communication dated November 29, 2005. Please reconsider the application in view of the amendment and remarks presented below.

## **ELECTION OF CLAIMS**

In the Office Action, the examiner requested an election of claims pursuant to a restriction requirement under 35 U.S.C. §121 between Group I claims 1-7 drawn to a method, and Group II claims 8-13 drawn to a device.

In response to the restriction requirement, applicants hereby elects Group II claims 8-13 drawn to a device.

Applicant reserves the right to file divisional applications covering the subject matter of the non-elected claims.

Respectfully submitted,

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